Chula Vista city, California
Selected Social Characteristics in the United States: 2009
Data Set: **2009 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates**
Survey: **American Community Survey**

NOTE. Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

For more information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see Survey Methodology.

Selected Social Characteristics in the United States	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	**67,367**	**+/-2,399**	**67,367**	**(X)**
Family households (families)	52,290	+/-1,636	77.6%	+/-2.3
With own children under 18 years	29,644	+/-1,853	44.0%	+/-3.0
Married-couple family	37,468	+/-2,033	55.6%	+/-3.0
With own children under 18 years	20,843	+/-1,855	30.9%	+/-2.9
Male householder, no wife present, family	3,458	+/-970	5.1%	+/-1.4
With own children under 18 years	1,580	+/-834	2.3%	+/-1.2
Female householder, no husband present, family	11,364	+/-1,613	16.9%	+/-2.5
With own children under 18 years	7,221	+/-1,441	10.7%	+/-2.2
Nonfamily households	15,077	+/-1,906	22.4%	+/-2.3
Householder living alone	12,456	+/-1,742	18.5%	+/-2.1
65 years and over	5,004	+/-1,046	7.4%	+/-1.4
Households with one or more people under 18 years	32,932	+/-1,899	48.9%	+/-3.1
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	16,723	+/-1,897	24.8%	+/-2.8
Average household size	3.30	+/-0.12	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.80	+/-0.12	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	**222,214**	**+/-1,404**	**222,214**	**(X)**
Householder	67,367	+/-2,399	30.3%	+/-1.1
Spouse	37,139	+/-1,998	16.7%	+/-0.9
Child	86,221	+/-4,051	38.8%	+/-1.8
Other relatives	23,187	+/-3,359	10.4%	+/-1.5
Nonrelatives	8,300	+/-1,740	3.7%	+/-0.8
Unmarried partner	2,841	+/-865	1.3%	+/-0.4
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	**78,941**	**+/-3,083**	**78,941**	**(X)**
Never married	26,805	+/-2,356	34.0%	+/-2.4
Now married, except separated	43,342	+/-2,209	54.9%	+/-2.6
Separated	1,631	+/-691	2.1%	+/-0.9
Widowed	2,252	+/-834	2.9%	+/-1.1
Divorced	4,911	+/-1,169	6.2%	+/-1.4
Females 15 years and over	**89,167**	**+/-3,377**	**89,167**	**(X)**
Never married	26,885	+/-3,018	30.2%	+/-2.7
Now married, except separated	42,379	+/-1,878	47.5%	+/-2.8
Separated	3,395	+/-1,198	3.8%	+/-1.3
Widowed	7,930	+/-1,609	8.9%	+/-1.8
Divorced	8,578	+/-1,549	9.6%	+/-1.6
FERTILITY				

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Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	**2,485**	**+/-890**	**2,485**	**(X)**
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	1,052	+/-658	42.3%	+/-18.8
Per 1,000 unmarried women	36	+/-22	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	44	+/-16	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-21	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	86	+/-35	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	25	+/-16	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	**8,737**	**+/-1,684**	**8,737**	**(X)**
Responsible for grandchildren	2,345	+/-1,026	26.8%	+/-11.1
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	94	+/-111	1.1%	+/-1.3
1 or 2 years	499	+/-395	5.7%	+/-4.6
3 or 4 years	270	+/-254	3.1%	+/-2.9
5 or more years	1,482	+/-868	17.0%	+/-9.4
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	**2,345**	**+/-1,026**	**2,345**	**(X)**
Who are female	1,884	+/-968	80.3%	+/-11.5
Who are married	1,564	+/-863	66.7%	+/-20.7
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	**73,999**	**+/-3,281**	**73,999**	**(X)**
Nursery school, preschool	3,856	+/-1,163	5.2%	+/-1.6
Kindergarten	4,457	+/-1,217	6.0%	+/-1.6
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	29,515	+/-2,691	39.9%	+/-3.0
High school (grades 9-12)	17,662	+/-2,357	23.9%	+/-3.0
College or graduate school	18,509	+/-2,106	25.0%	+/-2.8
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	**135,961**	**+/-3,589**	**135,961**	**(X)**
Less than 9th grade	12,592	+/-1,918	9.3%	+/-1.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	14,642	+/-2,443	10.8%	+/-1.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	26,651	+/-2,567	19.6%	+/-1.8
Some college, no degree	33,215	+/-3,052	24.4%	+/-2.1
Associate's degree	14,257	+/-2,146	10.5%	+/-1.6
Bachelor's degree	22,452	+/-2,537	16.5%	+/-1.9
Graduate or professional degree	12,152	+/-2,382	8.9%	+/-1.7
Percent high school graduate or higher	80.0%	+/-2.5	(X)	(X)
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	25.5%	+/-2.5	(X)	(X)
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	**152,573**	**+/-3,898**	**152,573**	**(X)**
Civilian veterans	16,226	+/-2,070	10.6%	+/-1.3
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	**219,687**	**+/-1,174**	**219,687**	**(X)**
With a disability	20,714	+/-2,711	9.4%	+/-1.2
Under 18 years	**67,990**	**+/-3,835**	**67,990**	**(X)**
With a disability	1,984	+/-908	2.9%	+/-1.4
18 to 64 years	**127,450**	**+/-3,996**	**127,450**	**(X)**
With a disability	8,974	+/-1,756	7.0%	+/-1.3
65 years and over	**24,247**	**+/-2,751**	**24,247**	**(X)**
With a disability	9,756	+/-1,697	40.2%	+/-5.8
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	**221,059**	**+/-1,005**	**221,059**	**(X)**
Same house	192,800	+/-5,898	87.2%	+/-2.5
Different house in the U.S.	26,453	+/-5,489	12.0%	+/-2.5
Same county	20,997	+/-4,276	9.5%	+/-1.9
Different county	5,456	+/-2,990	2.5%	+/-1.4
Same state	2,606	+/-2,591	1.2%	+/-1.2
Different state	2,850	+/-1,634	1.3%	+/-0.7
Abroad	1,806	+/-892	0.8%	+/-0.4
PLACE OF BIRTH				

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Native	151,949	+/-5,026	67.9%	+/-2.2
Born in United States	145,712	+/-4,939	65.1%	+/-2.2
State of residence	110,661	+/-5,744	49.5%	+/-2.6
Different state	35,051	+/-4,143	15.7%	+/-1.9
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	6,237	+/-1,678	2.8%	+/-0.7
Foreign born	71,797	+/-5,031	32.1%	+/-2.2
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	**71,797**	**+/-5,031**	**71,797**	**(X)**
Naturalized U.S. citizen	37,747	+/-3,455	52.6%	+/-4.4
Not a U.S. citizen	34,050	+/-4,489	47.4%	+/-4.4
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	**78,034**	**+/-4,945**	**78,034**	**(X)**
Native	**6,237**	**+/-1,678**	**6,237**	**(X)**
Entered 2000 or later	1,254	+/-778	20.1%	+/-10.3
Entered before 2000	4,983	+/-1,357	79.9%	+/-10.3
Foreign born	**71,797**	**+/-5,031**	**71,797**	**(X)**
Entered 2000 or later	15,901	+/-3,426	22.1%	+/-3.9
Entered before 2000	55,896	+/-3,742	77.9%	+/-3.9
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	**N**	**N**	**N**	**(X)**
Europe	N	N	N	N
Asia	N	N	N	N
Africa	N	N	N	N
Oceania	N	N	N	N
Latin America	N	N	N	N
Northern America	N	N	N	N
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	**205,659**	**+/-2,636**	**205,659**	**(X)**
English only	90,009	+/-6,786	43.8%	+/-3.3
Language other than English	115,650	+/-6,983	56.2%	+/-3.3
Speak English less than "very well"	50,119	+/-5,223	24.4%	+/-2.5
Spanish	94,884	+/-7,577	46.1%	+/-3.6
Speak English less than "very well"	40,794	+/-4,748	19.8%	+/-2.3
Other Indo-European languages	2,169	+/-717	1.1%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	694	+/-430	0.3%	+/-0.2
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	18,339	+/-3,200	8.9%	+/-1.6
Speak English less than "very well"	8,631	+/-2,046	4.2%	+/-1.0
Other languages	258	+/-229	0.1%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-294	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	**223,746**	**+/-42**	**223,746**	**(X)**
American	2,566	+/-915	1.1%	+/-0.4
Arab	98	+/-114	0.0%	+/-0.1
Czech	479	+/-308	0.2%	+/-0.1
Danish	156	+/-146	0.1%	+/-0.1
Dutch	890	+/-667	0.4%	+/-0.3
English	7,497	+/-1,549	3.4%	+/-0.7
French (except Basque)	3,437	+/-1,159	1.5%	+/-0.5
French Canadian	299	+/-269	0.1%	+/-0.1
German	14,347	+/-2,973	6.4%	+/-1.3
Greek	615	+/-375	0.3%	+/-0.2
Hungarian	271	+/-295	0.1%	+/-0.1
Irish	12,132	+/-2,874	5.4%	+/-1.3
Italian	5,122	+/-2,019	2.3%	+/-0.9
Lithuanian	176	+/-225	0.1%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	1,646	+/-691	0.7%	+/-0.3
Polish	1,909	+/-884	0.9%	+/-0.4
Portuguese	1,775	+/-1,300	0.8%	+/-0.6
Russian	297	+/-227	0.1%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	1,394	+/-709	0.6%	+/-0.3
Scottish	1,769	+/-663	0.8%	+/-0.3
Slovak	48	+/-81	0.0%	+/-0.1

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	300	+/-300	0.1%	+/-0.1
Swedish	1,252	+/-692	0.6%	+/-0.3
Swiss	0	+/-294	0.0%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	104	+/-97	0.0%	+/-0.1
Welsh	709	+/-460	0.3%	+/-0.2
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	917	+/-1,149	0.4%	+/-0.5

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009 American Community Survey

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Notes:
·Ancestry listed in this table refers to the total number of people who responded with a particular ancestry; for example, the estimate given for Russian represents the number of people who listed Russian as either their first or second ancestry. This table lists only the largest ancestry groups; see the Detailed Tables for more categories. Race and Hispanic origin groups are not included in this table because official data for those groups come from the Race and Hispanic origin questions rather than the ancestry question (see Demographic Table).
·Starting in 2008, the Scotch-Irish category does not include Irish-Scotch.
·The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.
·Data for year of entry of the native population reflect the year of entry into the U.S. by people who were born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island Areas or born outside the U.S. to a U.S. citizen parent and who subsequently moved to the U.S.
·While the 2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.
·Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Explanation of Symbols:
1. An '*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
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